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# Policy reference

## Description

The policy reference is used to reference a policy element. The reference is made by id of the policy. However, the mechanism for resolving a policy set reference to the corresponding policy is outside the scope of this specification.

## Related objects

- **Policy**

## Standard attributes

- **Identifier:** policy set identifier.
- **Version:**
  - **Specific version:** specifies a matching expression for the version of the policy referenced
  - **Version range:** specifies a range of version
  - **Any version**

## Actions

<b>Apply changes</b>	Allows you to save the data of a new policy reference or to update the data of a specific policy reference. To save the data it will be mandatory to fill in the required fields
<b>Undo</b>	Allows you to quit without applying any changes.
<b>Delete</b>	Allows you to delete a policy reference. You can choose that option on the hamburguer icon. To perform that action, Soffid will ask you for confirmation, you could confirm or cancel the operation.

<b>Export</b>	Allows you to export a XML file that contain the policy reference.
<b>Add new version</b>	Allows you to add a new versión of the policy reference

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*[http://docs.oasis-open.org/xacml/2.0/access\\_control-xacml-2.0-core-spec-os.pdf](http://docs.oasis-open.org/xacml/2.0/access_control-xacml-2.0-core-spec-os.pdf)*

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